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Bills of health from Chile report plague as follows:

Arica, 6 cases with 1 death in two weeks ended February 26 Iquique, present, February 25; Antofagasta, 14 cases with 1 death in two weeks ended February 23.

The following are the statistics on plague in Peru received from the Director de Salubridad.

Locality.	Cases February 13.	New.	Recovered.	Died.	Remaining February 27.
Lima .....	6	9	3	4	8
Callao .....	2	1	2	1	1
Chosica .....	.....	2	.....	.....	1
Trujillo .....	49	32	18	16	47
Paíta .....	10	1	7	2	2
Piura .....	1	.....	1	.....	.....
Ferrenafe .....	4	2	.....	.....	6
San Geronimo .....	4	.....	.....	.....	4
Catacaos .....	23	12	(?)	(?)	13
Eten .....	7	15	(?)	10	5
San Jose (Lambayeque) .....	2	.....	(?)	(?)	.....
Chepen .....	.....	9	2	4	3
Santa Eulalia .....	.....	6	.....	6	.....
Guadalupe (Pacasmayo) .....	.....	1	.....	.....	1
Mollendo .....	.....	3	.....	2	1
Monsefu .....	.....	7	.....	4	3

#### FOREIGN AND INSULAR STATISTICAL REPORTS OF COUNTRIES AND CITIES—UNTABULATED.

AFRICA—*Kimberley*.—Month ended February 15, 1908. Estimated population, 54,141. Total number of deaths, 128, including scarlet fever 1, and 18 from enteric fever.

*Lourenço Marquez*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 10,000. Total number of deaths, 33, including smallpox 1, and 8 from tuberculosis.

ALGERIA—*Algiers*.—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 155,000. Total number of deaths, 272, including scarlet fever 1, typhus fever 2, smallpox 4, and 54 from tuberculosis.

AZORES—*St. Michaels and St. Marie*.—Month of January, 1908. Estimated population, 127,566. Total number of deaths, 235, including measles 19, scarlet fever 3, and 3 from tuberculosis.

FRANCE—*Roubaix*.—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 121,115. Total number of deaths, 180, including scarlet fever 2, diphtheria 2, whooping cough 1, and 35 from tuberculosis.

*St. Etienne*.—Two weeks ended February 29, 1908. Estimated population, 150,000. Total number of deaths, 139, including whooping cough 1, measles 3, and 19 from tuberculosis.

*Toulon*.—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 104,000. Total number of deaths, 166, including diphtheria 1, and 5 from enteric fever.

GREAT BRITAIN—*England and Wales*.—The deaths registered in 76 great towns in England and Wales during the week ended March 7, 1908, correspond to an annual rate of 17.6 per 1,000 population, which is estimated at 16,234,952.

*London*.—One thousand five hundred and eighty deaths were registered during the week, including measles 29, scarlet fever 10, diph-

theria 21, enteric fever 2, whooping cough 29, tuberculosis 179, and 16 from diarrhea. The deaths from all causes correspond to an annual rate of 17.2 per 1,000. In Greater London 2,238 deaths were registered. In the "outer ring" the deaths included 1 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 5 from diphtheria, and 4 from whooping cough.

*Ireland.*—The average annual death rate represented by the deaths registered during the week ended March 7, 1908, in the 21 principal town districts of Ireland was 27.2 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,131,959. The lowest rate was recorded in Galway, viz, 15.5, and the highest in Tralee, viz, 47.6 per 1,000.

*Scotland.*—The deaths registered in 8 principal towns during the week ended March 7, 1908, correspond to an annual rate of 19.3 per 1,000 of the population, which is estimated at 1,839,038. The highest rate of mortality was recorded in Dundee, viz, 22.0, and the lowest in Edinburgh, viz, 15.9 per 1,000. The aggregate number of deaths registered from all causes was 681, including diphtheria 6, enteric fever 3, measles 47, scarlet fever 7, and 18 from whooping cough.

*MEXICO—Tampico.*—Two weeks ended March 15, 1908. Estimated population, 20,000. Total number of deaths, 44, including 6 from tuberculosis.

*SPAIN—Cadiz.*—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 69,322. Total number of deaths, 183, including enteric fever 1, scarlet fever 2, whooping cough 2, and 24 from tuberculosis.

*Huelva.*—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 24,000. Total number of deaths, 61, including enteric fever 1, and 5 from tuberculosis.

*Madrid.*—Month of February, 1908. Population, 556,663. Total number of deaths, 1,176, including diphtheria 5, enteric fever 3, measles 2, whooping cough 1, and 139 from tuberculosis.

*Seville.*—Month of February, 1908. Estimated population, 148,315. Total number of deaths, 433, including diphtheria 4, enteric fever 2, whooping cough 6, and 76 from tuberculosis.

*Cholera, yellow fever, plague, and smallpox reported from December 28, 1907, to April 3, 1908.*

[Reports received by the Surgeon-General, Public Health and Marine-Hospital Service, from American consuls, through the Department of State and from other sources.]

[For reports received from June 28, 1907, to December 27, 1907, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for December 27, 1907.]

[NOTE.—In accordance with custom, the tables of epidemic diseases are terminated semiannually and new tables begun.]

#### CHOLERA.

Place.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
<b>Arabia:</b>				
Hedjaz, general .....	Dec. 13-Feb. 18 ...	6,362	5,682	26 cases and 19 deaths from ss. Nivernais from Dec. 27-Jan. 5. 8 cases to Nov. 23.
Abou Ali .....	Dec. 31-Jan. 19 ...	69	49	
Abou-Saad (Djeddah).....	Dec. 21-29 .....	128	53	
Djeddah .....	Dec. 10-Feb. 8 ....	410	369	
Kamaran .....	Dec. 2-7 .....	3	2	From ss. Assuan.
Medina .....	Dec. 18-Jan. 18....	330	220	
Mekka .....	Dec. 21-Feb. 8 ....	5,086	4,706	
Tor .....	Jan. 24-30 .....	3	.....	
Yembo .....	Dec. 20-Feb. 3 ....	299	203	